GUTHRIE, OKLAHOMA, WEDNESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 3, 1894

A STRANGE STORY

Pressurer Klockson was Sandbagged and Pinced is a Box Car-Four Scott, Kar., Jan. 2. Since

peared from home several months ago, was found in a hospital at Fresno, Cal., with his head and hands severely

explain the reason for his sudden de-

parture or how he found his way into

letter from Mrs Klockson, who is attending him at the hospital, giving

Yesterday his daughters received a

"After arriving at Kansas City I walked around the depot and was ap-

proached by two strangers, one of

whom struck me on the head with some heavy instrument, after which I was unconscious and knew no more

until I revived near a town which I found was Colorado Springs. I was

Colorado Springs and then worked my way west. Mrs. Klockson says he

has a big wound on the back of his

At the time of his arrival at the hos-

and his mental faculties were only

restored by a long conversation with Mrs. Klockson. She says that it was

while beating his way into Fresno that he fell from the tram and so in-

jured his hand that it became nee-

essary to am utate two of his fingers.

CONFESSED A MURDER

County, Kansas, Cleared Up.

nies knowledge of the crime

slayer of another gir friend.

"Watch out, I will shoot."

Another.

a loud report rang out and Miss Shel-

There are several reports as to the

knowing the weapon was loaded.

Shot and Then Robbed.

SEDALIA Mo., Jan. 2 .- Ward Wick-

line, a young farmer, had a bloody

encounter with two desperate high-

waymen three miles west of the city

last night. Wickline was walking

from Sedalia home when two men

sprang in front of him and, covering

him with revolvers, commanded him

but one contained a gun, and he com-

eided increase over the preceding year.

ed to the treasury department that shows an increase of business. The

receipts for 1803 were \$386,571.00,

while for the year 180; they were only

St. Joseph Packing Company Sold.

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Sr. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 2 - The pock

and the only district, so far as report-

money.

that western country.

his statement as follows

had met in Kansas City.

she did not know him.

the hospital.

George Klockson, who grand treasurer of the Knights of Lonor, who disap-

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Braner, S. B. Strough, H. C. Coyle, Dr Halstead, Tearne Pay. SIDE GLANCES.

O'c'ahoma people enjoy reading any-O'clahoma people enjoy reading any-of Chinese primroses stood on the thing concerning Champ Clark, a mantel piece, backed by green plants. standby of the territory, and the Palms were clustered before the fire place and in the corners of the room.

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Last July Fred Linding, who was completed as a farm hand by Green Barton, suddenly disappeared. Shortly a bank or the highest prime of the room was carnet for the big Representative. One of the prominent farmers of Salt River Township took a long ride through the woods in prime of the conspicuous factors. On the west mantled in the conspicuous factors on the west mantled by Green Barton, suddenly disappeared. Shortly a bank or the high the conspicuous factors of the conspicuous factors. On the west mantled prime of the conspicuous factors of the conspicuous factors of the conspicuous factors. On the west mantled prime of the room was a bank or the high the conspicuous factors. On the west mantled prime of the conspicuous factors on the west mantled prime of the conspicuous factors. On the west mantled prime of the conspicuous factors on the west mantled prime of the conspicuous factors on the west mantled prime of the conspicuous factors. On the west mantled prime of the conspicuous factors on the conspicuous fact

al The Congressman should be e more proud of it because of its -made character and for the reahat prompted its giving.

ew nights ago about midnight, knocking on his door tie hastioused himself and on opening the

was confronted by a young con-They had eloped from a neigharing town in the strip, coming in on the il o'clock train and were in a v to get married. In pleasentry elergymen inquired of the young

"How much do you propose to me for marrying you at this hour? Na . I slige D. of E. No. 2 Mys. P. ular; it is all in the world I have. young man replied. "What! How ou propose to support your wife? minister asked and the young man le no reply. The intended brid suddenly seized with the gravity of the situation, she could not see how they were to set up housekeeping on a dollar, and she backed out from oder may to achieve in the city to be matrimony. The clergyman kindly An a thought to ge, a main dufter offered ber the sheller of his roof of the property to the same of the same which she kindly accepted, and the escaped, and the teremonies were young man pulled his freight.

C. W. Brune N. G. C. W. Reynolds, V. G. William A. Campbell, recording secretary; W. E. Bruner, permanent secretary; David Schools and treasure.

H. L. Strong France and treasure tative.

The following and known people are charter members of Wardey long.

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uthric W. Brace, W. A. Gampbelt, W. H. | Subscribe for the Daily Leader.

### AT THE WHITE HOUSE

THE PRESIDENT'S NEW YEAR'S RECEPTION.

IT WAS A VERY GOFGEOUS AFFAIR. injured, no attempt has been made to SAD FATE OF

Mrs. Cleveland Had a Smile and a Warm Hands sake for All-A Mild-Mannered Female Crank Interrupted the Reception for a Minn o or Iwo, But Was Quietly Hustled Away.

Washington, Jan. 1 .- New Year's pened bright and clear with more rispiness in the air than during all of the holiday week. The day was more generally observed here than in keeping open house is falling into desuctude with the more fashionable set, official society observes the custom and in many homes parties were made up to receive all callecs. These receptions, however, did not begin

The event of the morning and the early afternoon was the presidential reception at the white house. The executive mansion had been made especially attractive for the occasion. The floral decorations were tasteful, but not elaborate. Festoons of smilax were everywhere in elaborate profus-ion, from the friezes of the walls, from gas and electric right fixtures and in the window embrasures. In the state diving room potted palms were placed. In the red room a row

The blue room in which the presi-LODGE. Friday: Champ Clark's experience the brightest flower effects. The daywith an importment black at n in the brightest flower effects. The day-light was wholly shot out of this to having poisoned him while at dintro a good bit of appliance from people of the Virth District Down in Auditory the Virth District Down in

we did relieves of Guthrie have a long ride through the woods in search of a preper stick. After a days are installation are night occurred an installation of the reception of

The arrangements for the reception were interrupted about 10 o'clock, when a mild mannered man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount and a property of the sit was tressed and splendidly mannered with the amount man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas, were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas, were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount that we was man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas, were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas, were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas, were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas, were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas were uncompared to man, evidently of unbalanced mino arrived with the amount man of about 25. Mitchell of Lucas were uncompared to man of ab . It is probably one of the floors of the building by Captain Dexsomest canes ever owned at the ter, the chief usher, and then quietly escorted away by a policeman.

Promptly at 11 o'clock the Marine band stationed in the other of the mansion struck up "Hail or the Chief," which was the signal for dea. beginning of the receptions. In another moment the presidential party appeared at the middle landing leadrie clergyman was armser by ing from the private quarters above to the reservion rooms below. First came . Wison and Captain Pitche, U. S. A. in full uniform. Then followed President Cleveland picked up a revolver and alming it at

with Mrs. Cleveland on his arm. The president were his conventional good of black, with Prince Albert There was a boutonmere in his Innel

Mrs. Cleveland smiled and bowed to these in double rows which fined the haliways leading to the reception. It was the first public appearance since the wirth of little Esther and necks were craned to catch a glimpse of her. Her bair was brushed up and tack in the simple manner of her early pictures. Her high-necked gown almost entirely free from jewels and the jeweled comb in her hair was the only noticeable ornament to her at-

Following the tresidential couple came Vice President and Mrs Stevenson, Secretary and Mrs. Gresham. Secretary and Mrs. Carlisle, Secretary and Mrs. Lamont, the Attorney Generyl and Mrs. Olney, the Postmaster General and Mrs. Bissell, Secretary and Miss Herbert, Secretary and Miss Smith and Secretary and Mrs. Morton.

MRS. CLEVELAND S WARM WELCOME. Once inside the receiving room, Mrs. Cleveland quickly drew off her long gloves in order to continue a custom in which she is almost alone, of giving her New Year's greeting with 1,600 bare hands. She leaned her left arm on the back of a divan and with the 200 right received guests. Mr. Clevelrnd was first at the door

through which the callers came. He grasped the hand of each one, smiling and giving a "Happy New Year's" and then dexterously moving the callers on to Mrs. Cleveland and the line of cabinet ladies who extended across the blue room to the exit door on the other side. Back of the line of cab inet ladies were two or three score of ladies and young girls, official and personal friends of Mrs. Cleveland and the cabinet ladies. They took no immediate part in the receiving, but their brilliant costumes and jewels formed an effective background for ler, Speaker Crisp, Major General Schoffeld, Senators Gorman, Gray, Fr.e. Brice, Gordon, Manderson, and Sherman; Representatives Reed, Wilson, Barrows, Sayers and Outh and James Viles in Official Schoffeld, Sayers and Outh and James Viles in Official Schoffeld Senators of Children Schoffeld, Senators Gorman, Gray, and Sherman; Representatives Reed, Wilson, Barrows, Sayers and Outh and James Viles in Official Schoffeld Senators of the canal, who spent £150,000 in obtaining the auxiliary buildings, machiners and its principles. waite; Adjutant General Ruggles and Commodores Ramsav, Hichborn and Chadwi k and Assistant Secretary McAdee and the Misses Hamin, sisters of Assistant Secretary Hamiln; the wife of Colonel Heywood, commandant of the marine corps and Private Secreta "Thurber; Miss Wife ney; the Misses Stevenson; Miss Brice; Miss Murphy Miss Thomas; Mrs. A. besides many visits at the city to at tend the a later

A. Wilson, Mrs. Sunderiano, the of the president's pastor; Miss Rights, of the president's pastor; Miss Rights more sumptuous and delicious than that given to a number of persons at the Okla hotel in the Victor block. It was metropolitan in style and tone and the bill of fare was supern Among the lower persons at the first of the control of the lower persons at the bill of fare was supern Among the lower persons at the Okla hotel in the Victor block. It Parlam & Orn off were greated letwas metropolitan in style and tone ters of in orport ion yester and the bill of fare was supert. Among The First Con ognile and the invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jennings, Ok.

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turned out in faith

Dying Antopsy Held. INDEPENDENCE, Kan., Jan. 2 - At 9 o'clock yesterday morning the home in a box car with the same two men I of George W. Read, manager of the

THREE FOUND DEAD.

INDEPENDENCE, KAN.

The Matter Enshrouded in the Despect

Mystery - Gas Aspliyaution, Acci-

dental Poisoning and Fool Play

the Theories Correct as to

the Cause-Another One

Long Bell Lumber company, was They took all my money, watch broken into by Al Brown, Mr. Read's most cities, and while the custom of and part of my clothing and then keeping open house is falling into ejected me from the car. I walked to under the impression that all was not right. The discovery made was horrifying and involves the greatest myshead and that he was so ragged that tery known to Southern Kansas. Mr. Read, clad only in his night clothes, sat in a chair before a hot stove fed pital his speech was very incoherent by natural gas, his body in an advanced stage of decomposition. Miss Edith Scott, a domestic of the family, lay dead on the floor of her room. Mrs. Read and her 5-year-old son were in bed, the boy in a dying condition and the mother unconscious. Mrs. Read may recover.

Many theories are current as to the

The doctors say it will be a month before he will be well enough to leave cause, one being asphyxiation, another accidental poisoning and another foul play. The fact that two gas stoves in the house were burning full force practically explodes the theory of asphyxiation, and the fact A Mysterious Disappearance in Russell that no braises were found on either person renders the murder theory Lucas, Kan., Jan. 2.—Green Burton and Mrs. Gay and her son who are in almost incredible, leaving accidental fail at Russell on suspicion of murderpoisoning as the most probable cause. None of the family were seen later than Saturday evening, leaving no doubt whatever that Mr. Read and Miss Scott had been dead thirty-six ing Fred Dininny confessed last night hours before discovered. Every room in the house was intensely hot, and there being no ventilation, the fumes from the badly decomposed body of

from the badly decomposed Read were stifling.

Mr. Read came here twelve years ago from Shetbyville, Ky., and has flurred conspicuously in politics during that time. He has served there forms as alderman, and but recently reliced from the chairmanship of the reliced from the chairmanship of the central committee of Democrable central committee

Montgomery 20 115 An autopsy was 40 1 on the dead bodies yesterday, but noth, ug definite can be ascertained until analysic of the stomache has been completed.

SLAUGHTER AT A DANCE. A Fusilade in a Bloom Fall of Dancer. With Teyrible Results.

AMATEURS WITH A REVOLVER. COLUMBIA, Te as, Jan. 2.-Full ne counts of a wholesale killing at One Young Girl Accidentally Kills Cedar, about eight miles from here, are just in N. Williams was N. Williams was are just in CLARRSVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 2 .- At dancing on the floor and aroused the Hadelsville, Ky., fifteen miles from animosity of Lemon Gayle, who de-Clar'swille, on the Louisville and manded that Williams surrender his Nashville road, one girl became the place on the floor.

Williams at first refused, but Gayle became bolsterous and Williams started from the room when Gayle, his brother, London Gayle, and Bob picked up a revolver and alming it at Ealy, wgan firing at Williams and Miss Allen, one of her guests, said:

others Instantly London Gayle shot through the a loud report rang out and Miss Shel-ton beheld her companion fall dead at her feet, with a bullet in her tem-isaac Scott remarked: "London Gayle has killed Hy Waddy," where There are several reports as to the cause of the tragedy. Reliable parties state that the two girls were rivals in through and through, killing him inlove and that Miss Shelton committed stantly.

the murder. Others, equally reliable, are of the opinion that the shooting was accidental, Miss Shelton not Then a general fusilade followed from guns and pistols. A woman was shot through the breast and is now dead. Lenden Gayle is shot through the body and will die; a girl is shot in the face near the eye, another square in 'ae middle of the head, the ball glancing and lodging next to the skin back of the head; one boy is shot in the arm and through the right hand, and others have received slighter wounds.

GREAT SHIP CANAL.

to throw up his hands. He did se, The One From Eastham to Manchester la Now Open.

menced shooting. The highwaymen returned the fire. Wickline received MANCHESTER Jan 2.-The great ship cana! from Eastham to manchesa ball through the left arm, but kept ter is now an accomplished fact and on shooting until a ball through his thigh knocked him down. The rob- the town of Manchester, situated bers then went through his pockets about forty miles from the sea board, and secured a considerable sum of can be reached by sea from New York in about ten hours after arriving at Liverpool. On December 7 a steamer Internal Revenue Receipts in Kansas. LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Jan. 2 - The conveying the directors of the canal made the entire journey of the canal, but the formal official opening did not receipts of the internal revenue for the district of Kansas for the year take place unt'l yesterday. ending December 31, 1893, show a de-

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population of 5,250,000.

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MIDWINTER FAIR. Informer toponing of the Sun Pennsyl

Regant reception was given out the Governor and Mrs. Stone, color or which closed with a wight refu-blimentary to the [apperla], and Pteran fall, No. Pears day opened year and clubs, both of programmations disguis militiar here, swing to the fact.

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